



DEATH RESULTS FROM ACCIDENT

Miss Maggie Clay Dies as the Result of Very Peculiar Accident

The Grim Reaper took from our midst last week one of the best beloved women of our county when Miss Margaret B. Clay answered the final summons. Miss Clay was injured in a rather peculiar manner a few days before her death. She was riding in an automobile with a number of ladies when the machine passed a horse driven by two men; just as the machine passed the horse he reared up and plunged through the back of the car, his hoofs striking Miss Clay on her arm and shoulder badly cutting and bruising them. She was brought to her home in this city and a physician summoned and for a few days she was thought to be getting along nicely but blood poison developed and the end came quickly. Deceased was 50 years of age and had been a member of the Christian Church since early childhood and always took an active interest in the work of the church and in all work for her Lord and Master. Her deeds of charity were many and she was always happiest when rendering some service to those in sorrow or distress, truly she was one of God's gentlewomen. She is survived by her aged mother, two sisters, Misses Sallie and Annie Clay, and one brother, Mr. Ed Clay, now of Louisville.

The funeral was held at the late residence Thursday morning at 10 o'clock with services conducted by Rev. T. B. Bowen, of Lexington, assisted by Rev. Clyde Darsie and B. W. Trimble, of this city. Burial took place in Macphelah cemetery.

No words of sympathy can alleviate the sorrow of the stricken ones but in their hours of distress we can only hope that the God that gave the departed one her bright smile, sweet disposition and lovely Christian life will be with them, and in His own good time give them surcease from their sorrow.

SOLDIER BOYS TO GO THURSDAY

Montgomery County Will Send Fourteen Men to Camp Taylor On the Fifth

The local board on Saturday received instructions to send fourteen men to Camp Taylor on Thursday, September the fifth. The board immediately sent out notices and the following men were ordered to report to the board for instructions, tickets, etc. The quota is made up of some of the most prominent young men in the county. Harry P. Howell, former Sheriff and present County Tax Commissioner. C. W. Howe, Vice President of the The Walsh Company, one of the largest stores in the city. Frank B. Wyatt, for many years an employe of the Mt. Sterling National Bank. Stewart C. Sharpe, a clerk in the postoffice. Richard P. Winn, Allie B. Payne, Glenn Stafford, Madison Cockrell, Cecil Daniel, J. Smith Trimble, Harvey R. Crooks, Keller Martin, George Reffitt, Walter Moreland. Alternates Clarence Hendrick and Thomas Allen Lawrence.

SILAS PIERATT DEAD
Mr. Silas Pieratt, aged about 84 years, died at the home of his son Luther at Ezel Ky., on Saturday night August 24, 1918.

He was the last of a large family

who by their exemplary lines have been prominent in social, business and religious life in Morgan county. He was a farmer when able to work and for many years has been an elder in the Christian church. He has been married twice and for a few years has been a widower. He is survived by his first marriage, by three sons, James, Willis and Silas who live in Texas; by his second marriage, his children still living are Wm. H. Pieratt and Mrs. Patsy Cronch, of Bethel, Ky., Austin Pieratt, of Hobart, Okla., Mrs. Doyle Nickell, of Coles county, Ill., and Luther Pieratt, with whom he lived. He is an uncle of Mr. Asa Pieratt and Mrs. J. F. Lockhart, of our city. He was a good christian man highly respected by all who knew him and his family have the sympathy of countless friends.

—W. S. S.—

AUTOMOBILE KILLS BOY

An automobile driven by Mr. Will Scott, of Sharpsburg, ran over and killed Clay Williams aged 12 years, on the Maysville pike about seven miles from this city, on Monday afternoon. From the best information we could get Mr. Scott was driving slowly and had passed the boy who in a spirit of fun ran from behind the car and attempted to run across the pike in front of the moving machine. Mr. Scott threw on the brakes locking the wheels but not in time to keep from hitting the boy who died within a few minutes. Deceased is a son of Mr. Henry Williams who has the sympathy of many friends in his sorrow. The accident was evidently unavoidable.

—W. S. S.—

AUTOMOBILE OVERTURNS

An automobile driven by Mr. Floyd Cornwall, of Cornwall Station, turned over near Camargo Sunday afternoon throwing Mr. Cornwall and another man riding with him from the car. Both were badly shaken up but neither seriously injured although their escape was remarkable as the machine was running at a high rate of speed.

—W. S. S.—

SCHOOL ANNOUNCEMENT

Acting under the orders of my physician I will teach only a limited number of pupils this year and will take pupils only from the first to sixth grades inclusive. My school will open September 9th. I appreciate the patronage given me in the years past and assure those that send their children to me that the same high standard of efficiency I have required of my pupils in the past will be required this year and every effort will be made to give them training well worth while.

MRS. J. W. PREWITT.

Phone 493.

—W. S. S.—

OUR BLACK BOYS

Justly the people of that part of France behind the lines held by American negroes cry the equivalent of "long live the black soldiers of America," for at every opportunity the black soldiers of America prove themselves good soldiers, fine patriots and vivid fighters. We have the account of another negro Sergeant decorated with the French Croix de Guerre by reason of exceptional gallantry; and we may expect to hear of still other cases as the war proceeds.

But it is not so much the gallantry of the negro soldiers in France that pleases us, as it is the report of the conduct of those same negro soldiers when in rest billets. From the time the negro units were first placed upon the front line, little dispatches now and again have told of their helpful, respectful and decent attitude toward the native population. We are proud of our black boys and rejoice in every token of admiration bestowed upon them by our noble Allies.—Louisville Times.

Registration Notice For Military Service

WE SHALL REGISTER—Every male person who shall have attained his eighteenth birthday and shall not have attained his forty-sixth birthday on or before September 12, 1918 must register on that day. The only persons excepted are persons in the military or naval service of the United States and those who have heretofore registered.

TIME OF REGISTRATION—Between 7 a. m. and 9 p. m. on Thursday, September 12, 1918.

PLACE OF REGISTRATION—The place of registration is the customary voting place in the precinct in which each person has his domicile. Your domicile is the place at which you permanently reside at the time of registration.

NO EXCUSES TO BE ACCEPTED—No person required to register is to be excused for any cause. Persons who fail to register on that day as required by the President's proclamation subject themselves to the penalties prescribed by the Act of Congress.

LOCAL BOARD MONTGOMERY COUNTY, KY.

Charles D. Grubbs, Chairman.

MUST SAVE THE GASOLINE

Federal Fuel Administrator Garfield Appeals to Auto Owners To Save Gasoline

The ban on the use of gasoline on Sundays for motor vehicles and boats will apply only to pleasure riding. Fuel Administrator Garfield announced Saturday. He said reasonable use of gasoline-driven vehicles was not intended to be prohibited.

"The request made by the Fuel Administration," said a statement issued at the administration office, "that pleasure riding be discontinued on Sunday for the present, in order to conserve our supply of gasoline for war needs, was not intended to prohibit reasonable use of gasoline-driven vehicles as a means of necessary transportation, where no other means are available.

"Mr. Garfield believes that the public will construe the request wisely and intelligently and will not use their automobiles for other than the most necessary purposes. The intention of the request is that all mere pleasure riding be eliminated, but that necessary use of the automobile be not interfered with.

"Just what is 'pleasure riding' and what is 'necessary use' must be determined by the individual; keeping in mind always that we must have additional reserves of gasoline so that there may be no possibility of delays in overseas shipments.

"The United States Fuel Administration will not attempt to taboo automobile traffic on Sunday."

While taxicabs were not mentioned in the statement, it was said informally the restrictions would not prevent taxi service for necessary purposes, though there should be no hiring of cabs for pleasure riding.

The garages in this city were closed Sunday and no gasoline could be purchased except by physicians owning cars.

—W. S. S.—

BERNICE MOORE WINS RACE

Bernice Moore, the good little Peter Montgomery mare trained and driven by Mr. Chas. Bean of this city won a five heat race at Crawfordsville, Ind., last Wednesday and trotted in 2:13 1/4. From the newspaper reports of the meeting the race was a fine one and the news of the winning of this mare will be received with pleasure by many friends here of Mr. Bean.

—W. S. S.—

Try The Walsh Company for a good Raincoat.

MANY MILLION WILL REGISTER

Proclamation of President Wilson Sets Draft Machinery in Motion Quickly

Within a few hours after the measure had been passed the new Manpower bill had been signed by the President and a proclamation setting into action the new draft machinery had been issued by Mr. Wilson. The news of the passage of the bill was received with expressions of general satisfaction from the American army in France. The men here realize not only the immense resources it brings to the aid of the government in the pursuit of the war; but that it also fares unsparring efforts to continue what they have begun.

The high command is particularly interested in the moral effect the measure will have upon the enemy. His man-power is now concededly at its weakest point and his replacement sources are limited, and the military authorities count upon a reaction in the morale in Germany as a strong factor of the winter situation.

It may be stated that from the commander in chief and the general staff down to the rank and file everyone is immeasurably encouraged and heartened by the passage of the act.

It is estimated that at least 12,778,758 men will register this time, compared with nearly ten million on the first registration of men from 21 to 31 on June 5, 1917. Of those who enroll now, it is estimated that 2,300,000 will be called for general military service, probably two-thirds of the number coming from among the 3,500,000 or more between the ages of 18 and 21.

General March has said all registrants called into the army will be in France before next June 30, swelling the American Expeditionary Forces to more than the four million men expected to win the war in 1919. The last to be called will be the youths in their eighteenth year, but those of that age who desire and who have the necessary qualifications may be inducted into service on October 1, for special technical or vocational training. Registration this time will be conducted as heretofore by the draft boards. All federal, State, county and municipal officers are called upon to aid the boards in their work, to preserve order and to round up slackers.

All registrants will be classified as

quickly as possible under the questionnaire system and a drawing will be held at the Capitol to fix the order of registrants in their respective classes.

The Provost Marshal General's estimate today places the number of men under 21 now in the army at about 245,000, and the number of those from 32 to 45 to 105,000.

Kentucky, it is estimated, will furnish 254,108 registrants in the new registration.

Members of the students army training corps, consisting of youths between the ages of 18 and 21 will be mobilized October 1 at more than 300 colleges selected for that purpose by the war department, according to details of the plan announced last week.

The members of the student's army training corps will be "soldiers on active duty," a statement issued by the War Department says. Upon their induction into military service their subsistence, quarters, clothing and tuition will be provided by the government and the student soldiers will receive the pay of privates in the army.

High school graduates will be eligible to the collegiate training division of the corps and grammar school graduates may enter the vocational section.

As the students show ability they will be transferred to new divisions and those showing special qualifications will be sent to Officers' Training schools. Others will be assigned to non-commissioned officers' schools.

—W. S. S.—

WINS ARMY COMMISSION

Mr. John J. Winn, familiarly called Jack by his many friends, was graduated in the School of Artillery at Camp Zachary Taylor last Friday and received a commission as Second Lieutenant.

Lieutenant Winn came home Saturday for a few days visit to his parents Hon. and Mrs. John G. Winn. Congratulations Jack on winning your commission and the best of luck in the work yet before you.

—W. S. S.—

SELLS CITY PROPERTY

Mr. C. M. Ratliff has sold his residence on west Clay street to Mr. W. P. Lawrence who will get possession shortly and move there to reside. The property is well located and is very desirable. The sale was made through T. Foster Rogers, real estate agent.

—W. S. S.—

MADE ADMINISTRATOR

On motion of the heirs, County Judge E. W. Senff has designated Mr. A. F. Wyatt as Administrator of the estate of the late H. C. Parrish. It is valued at about \$1,000.

PUBLIC SCHOOLS OPEN MONDAY

Efficient Teachers in All Departments and a Banner Attendance Is Expected

On Monday morning the doors of the city school were opened for the 1918-19 session and although it had been predicted to the contrary, the attendance for the first day was very good indeed and the competent corps of teachers was present to take charge of the scores of children that presented themselves.

The following is the list of the teachers for the present session: Mrs. B. R. Turner, Principal of the High School and instructor in Latin and French; Miss Marie A. McGuire, Mathematics; Miss Alice Cassity, English and History; Miss Clara Arnold, Science and History; Miss Mary Welsh, Eighth Grade; Miss Bess Robinson, Seventh Grade; Miss Mattie Hoffman, Sixth Grade; Miss Eliza Harris, Fifth Grade; Miss Elizabeth Duerson, Fourth Grade; Miss Florence Shirley, Third Grade; Miss Lucy Owings, Second Grade; Mrs. Sophia Randal, First Grade; Miss Vivian Alfrey, Assistant in the Sixth and Miss Lucile Hardin, the First. Miss Elizabeth Lockridge will be the official substitute this year. Supt. Hopper was in his office and on account of his weakened condition, due to a recent accident, is being assisted in his clerical work by Miss Cynthia Thompson.

At the opening exercises the Rev. Clyde Darsie conducted the devotional part and made a short address to the students while Mr. C. D. Grubbs, President of the Board, in a few remarks, urged the students to continue their course until graduation and pointed out the necessity at this time of a thorough preparation.

Among the announcements made by the Superintendent, one which will possibly interest most of the people was that no courses in German would be offered this year. While the enrollment approximately of 450 is considered a good beginning, the parents of the children are urged to have their children in school at once in order that they may not be handicapped by a late start. Children should realize that regular attendance at school is a patriotic duty as well as a personal privilege and that the child who does not attend school regularly is a SLACKER no less than the adult who endeavors to evade military service.

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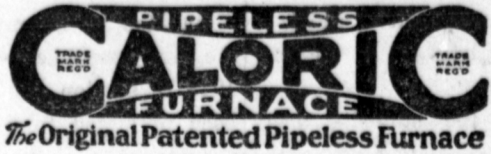
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And Helps The Nation

There's a wealth of proof to show that your home may be thoroughly comfortable at a third or a half less fuel than you have been using. The Caloric Pipeless Furnace is a remarkable fuel conserver. Many say it saves half. Here is just one sample letter taken at random out of thousands which the manufacturers receive from pleased Caloric owners:

"I am heating very comfortably seven rooms and not using any more fuel than I did with a double heater, heating only two rooms.—S. P. SEIFERT."



Over fifty thousand homes, many of them in this state, have found this furnace the economical, common-sense method of keeping comfortable. They bought on a guarantee of real fuel saving and perfect satisfaction, and the Caloric made good.

One register delivers all the heat from the fuel directly into your living rooms and draws out the cold air, insuring an abundance of balmy, moist warmth right where you want it. The cellar is just right for the storage of perishable products.

The Caloric can be installed in a day. It is a triumph of engineering skill that embodies many patented features which have made it the leader and which are not found in imitations. Come in and see this wonderful furnace. We will tell you frankly whether it is adapted to your home. If we say it is, we will give you our personal guarantee that it will make good or we will take it out. Come in and talk it over.

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WOMEN PLAN HEAVY WORK IN BIG LOAN DRIVE

Cleveland, O.—The women of the fourth federal district have an active campaign organized for their part in the fourth Liberty Loan campaign. In the drive for the third issue of Liberty Bonds the women's Liberty Loan committee of the country reported that their sales amounted to 25 per cent of the total. In the fourth district they reached 24 per cent. The women of this section of the country are determined that in this fourth campaign they are going to come up to the national average or go ahead of it.

Mrs. Frank Muhlhauer, district chairman, sees two tasks in particular which belong to the women loan workers.



MRS. FRANK MUHLHAUSER.

"They have always been the purchasers of the country," she explained. "They do the buying—spend the money. Now in that role they must see to it that money is spent only for essentials. There is not enough raw material and labor in the country to give the government all that it needs and the people all that they may want in the way of non-essentials. There is enough to give both the government and the public what they need. It is the part of women to see that the labor and the material go only for those necessities. It is woman's job to make the people realize that it doesn't matter whether or not we put our hands into empty pockets, so long as the soldiers don't put their hands into empty cartridge boxes."

"The other responsibility for women in this next campaign is to increase the number of bond holders from 18,000,000 to 25,000,000. The number must be increased by reaching the small investors, and they are the ones for the women to look after."

TRANSFORMATION

Saving! Thrift! Economy!
I once thought you were mean.
Petty virtue at the best.
Which made life dull and lean.
Dun-colored, hard, monotonous,
Selfish at the heart.
Taking all in all, you played
An unattractive part.

But now! The gray cocoon is burst;
You stand forth, radiant-hued.
The steel of your sword is sharp and bright
And a warrior's is your mood.
Dramatic, sacrificial, brave;
The virtues of a knight!
Why, without you, one-time
grievous thing,
We couldn't start to fight!
—Lucy Price.

—W. S. S.—

The Germans plotted war here in 1909, but—
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"It is desired to insure supply of ready mixed flour on market and to have millers and dealers of all kinds encourage use and sale of this flour so that country may be on a mixed flour basis without necessity of retailers making combination sales of flour and substitutes. All such mixed flours made according to the following regulations should be labeled with the ingredients in order of their proportion."

"The flours so mixed must be milled in accordance with the standards of the United States Food Administration. No mixed flours (except Pancake flours) shall be made or manufactured except in the exact proportions as outlined below:

"Mixed wheat and barley flour shall be in the proportion of four pounds wheat flour to one pound barley flour. Mixed wheat and corn flour shall contain the proportion of four pounds wheat flour to one pound corn flour. Mixed wheat, barley and corn flour shall contain the proportions of eight pounds wheat flour to one pound barley and one pound corn flour. Mixed wheat and rye flour shall contain the proportion of three pounds wheat flour and not less than two pounds rye flour. Whole wheat, entire wheat, or Graham flour, or meal, shall contain at least ninety-five per cent of the wheat berry."

"All the above victory mixed flours may be sold without substitutes, but at no greater price from the miller, wholesaler, or retail dealer than in the case of standard wheat flour."

—W. S. S.—

The Break in the Dam

May often be stopped with a few sacksful of sand or earth. Likewise a serious illness may often be averted if we take it in time. 90 per cent. of serious diseases arise from a weakened condition of the constitution brought about by some form of derangement of the stomach, liver, or bowels, and if this condition is correctly looked after promptly, the large number of people who die from grave constitutional diseases would be saved to a life of usefulness and industry. Your county now needs you at your best, whether you are on the farm, in the factory, or at work in any other useful occupation and no one can do their best work if sick half of the time. Jay's Pepsotone is a truly remarkable remedy for ills of the stomach and liver. Its mild action and prompt relief is evidenced daily by thousands who take it. Every user has become a booster because you do not have to take it often or for long periods of time. The relief you get from the remedy is permanent and lasting. It is guaranteed and sold for 50c and \$1.00. Positively will not gripe or purge. Sent on receipt of price if your dealer cannot supply you. The Pepsotone Co., Huntington, W. Va.

W. S. LLOYD, Druggist.

JAY'S PEPSOTONE Relieves Bilioussness

—W. S. S.—

BUSINESS AND BONDS

Business is good, thank you. Almost without exception this may be said truthfully of any line. Today it is no longer a buyer's market. Just the reverse. The buyer is taking what he can get and is glad to get it. It is a seller's market of the most pronounced sort. And never has there been a greater demand at better prices.

And this despite the fact that nearly ten billions of dollars have been invested in Liberty Bonds and four billions more taken from the public purse by taxation within the last fiscal year.

Never have conditions as a whole been better, the country more prosperous.

Pessimists a year ago predicted the worst of dire results as a consequence of the imperative tremendous sale of Liberty Bonds.

But the savings bank deposits have almost maintained their normal rate of increase throughout the

country although people are spending more money than ever before. And the average man has more of it to spend. His earning power in many cases has doubled.

All of which augurs well for the coming biggest anti-Hun drive of them all.

Folks no longer hesitate to buy Liberty Bonds.

They know they are the safest investment on earth. They know that back of them stands all the wealth of this country. They know that such investments will not adversely affect financial conditions. They know that every dollar so invested not only will stimulate industrial activity but will insure the continuance of American Independence and speed the day of world freedom.

Americans are no longer apprehensive of the Liberty Bond. They are for it, strongly.

So much so that they're already saving up.

—W. S. S.—

"VICTORY" SIRENE

Impressive ceremonies marked the unveiling recently of the first "Victory siren" in the country. It was erected on the roof of the Evans building in Washington and will sound the signal each day for a noon-day prayer for victory and everlasting peace.

—W. S. S.—

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—W. S. S.—

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A man that studieth revenge keeps his own wounds green.—Francis Bacon.

—W. S. S.—

Life is not so short but that there is always room for courtesy.—Emerson.

—W. S. S.—

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NEW FOOD REGULATIONS

"The recent careful survey by the food administrators of the United States, France, England and Italy, of the food resources of the two hundred twenty million people fighting against Germany, shows that to maintain enough supplies and necessary reserves against disaster there must be maintained in all countries a conservation of wheat flour during the coming year. It has been agreed that the wheat bread of allies shall contain twenty per cent. other grains than wheat and it is only just that we should bear our share in this saving and our bread should be at least universal with those who are suffering more greatly from the war than ourselves.

"Distribution and transportation circumstances in the United States render it necessary to rely very largely on voluntary action on our homes to enforce this mixture. The Victory bread so made is wholesome and there is no difficulty in preparation. We desire to emphasize the fact that mixtures outlined below are for wheat bread and the saving of wheat flour, but are not intended to displace the large use of corn bread. We must use the mixture with wheat flours in addition to our normal consumption of corn bread. For this purpose, regulations are formulated below, effective September first.

"Providing FIRST for the prepa-

ration and marketing by the manufacturing and distributing trades of the country of a mixed flour complying with the international policy, which will be available for purchase by the household.

"SECOND, in regulations covering the case where straight wheat flour is sold by retailers that at the same time twenty per cent. of other cereal flours must be sold coincidentally.

"THIRD, requiring that all bakers bread shall contain twenty per cent. of other cereals, and the food administration relies upon the householders of the country to mix at least twenty per cent. of the substitute cereals into the wheat flour at home for all uses.

"Corn meal for use of corn bread should be purchased separately from combination sales.

—W. S. S.—

Mitchell Sullivan, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Sullivan, who has been in the aviation service at Ft. Still, Oklahoma, has been promoted to the rank of Second Lieutenant and sent to Lake Charles, Louisiana. He is an excellent young man, and his family and friends are proud of his promotion.

—W. S. S.—

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WORLD SHORTAGE IN BEET SUGAR

Crops Are 40 Per Cent. Less Than Pre-War Average—Central Powers Hit Hardest.

CANE SUGAR IS ISOLATED.

Allied Beet Production Falls One-third In Rigid War Economy Practiced.

The world today is producing forty per cent. less beet sugar than the pre-war average.

Counting the American, Allied and German-Austrian crops, as well as the neutrals, the U. S. Food Administration has estimated that the world shortage created by the light crop of 1917-1918 is at least three and a half million tons.

That the 1917-1918 crop of cane sugar was two million tons in excess of the previous year does not relieve the general shortage.

Cuba and Java produce one-half of the world cane crop, and the Java sugar is too far removed from America to transport when shipping is badly needed to transport and maintain the military forces in France.

In Java a large part of the old sugar crop is still awaiting shipment. Since it requires 150 to 160 days for each boat that is sent to Java, the possibilities of obtaining adequate shipments of Java sugar this season are remote.

Allies' Production Falls.

Taking the Allied nations as a group, official reports show that beet sugar production is less by one-third than the pre-war average.

French beet sugar industry has suffered most by the war. The French yield of beet sugar is now only 29.1 per cent. of the pre-war average.

For the five years preceding the outbreak of hostilities in Europe, France produced an average of 752,542 tons of sugar each year. For 1917-18 the French production was 218,416 tons.

With 61 factories operating, as compared with more than 200 that were in existence before the war and before the general campaign of destructiveness launched by the German armies, France nevertheless managed to manufacture more beet sugar in 1917-18 than in 1916-17, when the total output was 202,415 tons.

Italy in 1917-18 produced 100,800 tons of beet sugar, which was 56,000 tons less than the previous year and 110,250 less than the annual output of sugar for the five year pre-war period.

One of the great difficulties experienced in Italy's beet sugar industry was finding sufficient labor to handle the crop. Thousands of men usually employed in beet sugar production were called for military service. The yield per acre amounted to approximately half of the usual quantity of beets harvested.

—W. S. S.—

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—W. S. S.—

The way of the transgressor is well written up.

ACCUSED OF HOARDING 150 POUNDS OF SUGAR

Accused of hoarding sugar, Dr. A. G. Elliston, of New Castle, was arrested last week by Marshal Dave Reagan. He was taken to Frankfort and released on a \$3,000 bond to appear Wednesday for his examining trial. Elliston is accused of having on hand 150 pounds of sugar. He is one of Henry county's wealthy men.

—W. S. S.—

Camouflaged automobiles—the latest idea. It is easy to make a flivver look like a carpet sweeper.



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OUR SAVED FOOD FED THE ALLIES

Food Administrator Writes President America Conserved 141,000,000 Bushels Wheat.

CREDIT DUE TO WOMEN.

Meat and Fat Shipments Increased by 844,600,000 Pounds.

Conservation measures applied by the American people enabled the United States to ship to the Allied peoples and to our own forces overseas 141,000,000 bushels of wheat and 844,600,000 pounds of meat during the past year, valued in all at \$1,400,000,000. This was accomplished in the face of a serious food shortage in this country, bespeaking the wholeheartedness and patriotism with which the American people have met the food crisis abroad.

Food Administrator Hoover, in a letter to President Wilson, explains how the situation was met. The voluntary conservation program fostered by the Food Administration enabled the piling up of the millions of bushels of wheat during 1917-18 and the shipment of meat during 1917-18.

The total value of all food shipments to Allied destinations amounted to \$1,400,000,000, all this food being bought through or in collaboration with the Food Administration. These figures are all based on official reports and represent food exports for the harvest year that closed June 30, 1918.

The shipments of meats and fats (including meat products, dairy products, vegetable oils, etc.) to Allied destinations were as follows:

Fiscal year 1916-17....2,168,500,000 lbs.
Fiscal year 1917-18....3,011,100,000 lbs.

Increase 844,600,000 lbs.

Our slaughterable animals at the beginning of the last fiscal year were not appreciably larger than the year before and particularly in hogs; they were probably less. The increase in shipments is due to conservation and the extra weight of animals added by our farmers.

The full effect of these efforts began to bear their best results in the last half of the fiscal year, when the exports to the Allies were 2,133,100,000 pounds, as against 1,266,500,000 pounds in the same period of the year before.

This compares with an average of 801,000,000 pounds of total exports for the same half years in the three-year pre-war period.

In cereals and cereal products reduced to terms of cereal bushels our shipments to Allied destinations have been:

Fiscal year 1916-17....259,900,000 bushels
Fiscal year 1917-18....340,800,000 bushels

Increase 80,900,000 bushels

Of these cereals our shipments of the prime breadstuffs in the fiscal year 1917-18 to Allied destinations were: Wheat—131,000,000 bushels and of rye 13,900,000 bushels, a total of 144,900,000 bushels.

The exports to Allied destinations during the fiscal year 1916-17 were: Wheat 135,100,000 bushels and rye 2,300,000 bushels, a total of 137,400,000 bushels. In addition some 10,000,000 bushels of 1917 wheat are now in port for Allied destinations or en route thereto. The total shipments to Allied countries from our last harvest of wheat will be therefore, about 141,000,000 bushels, or a total of 154,900,000 bushels of prime breadstuffs. In addition to this we have shipped some 10,000,000 bushels to neutrals dependent upon us, and we have received some imports from other quarters.

"This accomplishment of our people in this matter stands out even more clearly if we bear in mind that we had available in the fiscal year 1916-17 from net carry-over and as surplus over our normal consumption about 200,000,000 bushels of wheat which we were able to export that year without trenching on our home loaf," Mr. Hoover said. "This last year, however, owing to the large failure of the 1917 wheat crop, we had available from net carry-over and production and imports only just about our normal consumption. Therefore our wheat shipments to Allied destinations represent approximately savings from our own wheat bread."

"These figures, however, do not fully convey the volume of the effort and sacrifice made during the past year by the whole American people. Despite the magnificent effort of our agricultural population in planting a much increased acreage in 1917, not only was there a very large failure in wheat, but also the corn failed to mature properly, and our corn is our dominant crop. "I am sure," Mr. Hoover wrote in concluding his report, "that all the millions of our people, agricultural as well as urban, who have contributed to these results should feel a very definite satisfaction that in a year of universal food shortages in the northern hemisphere all of those people joined together against Germany have come through into sight of the coming harvest not only with wealth and strength fully maintained, but with only temporary periods of hardship."

"It is difficult to distinguish between various sections of our people—the homes, public eating places, food trades, urban or agricultural populations—in assessing credit for these results, but no one will deny the dominant part of the American women."

A hoarder is a man who is more interested in getting his bite than in giving his bit.

THIRD CALL MADE FOR MAGAZINES AND PAPERS

Why not send the August issue of the Red Book, the Cosmopolitan or American to Camp Shelby? It should have been read by this time and will probably be of no further use except to the soldier boys.

The soldiers of Camp Shelby are sadly in need of magazines and picture and news periodicals.

According to a recent order from the War Department the magazines and papers which have been coming here under what is known as the Burleson order are now going overseas. The only source now left to the soldiers at this cantonment for securing reading matter is through the generosity and willingness of the people of Hattiesburg to do something for the men in khaki.

This is a mighty small bit, but it is important.

Byron Legg, educational secretary of the general Y. M. C. A. activities at Camp Shelby, informs this paper that a half car load of magazines and news and picture papers is wanted.

Give story magazines printed within the past year.

Give current news magazines printed during the past three months.

Give illustrated magazines printed during the past three months.

Give them now.

Send them to The American.

Do it today.

—Hattiesburg American.

Base Hospital, Camp Shelby
Hattiesburg, Miss., Monday.
Mt. Sterling Advocate,
Mt. Sterling, Ky.
Gentlemen:

Enclosed you will find a clipping from the Hattiesburg American, our daily paper which I think would be of interest to the generous people of Mt. Sterling considering a good number of their boys are in Camp here and I can truly say that every word of the clipping is true, for we can scarcely get a magazine at any Y. M. C. A. building, and I am sure if the people would only do so they could express as quite a bunch of them if they care to help the Mt. Sterling boys out. They can be expressed to the Y. M. C. A. Headquarters, Camp Shelby, and I am sure they will be greatly appreciated by all the Shelby boys and especially by the Mt. Sterling boys.

If you can help us in any way I will thank you for Shelby.

I am getting over an operation on my back for a humatoma caused by a horse falling on me three weeks ago.

Hoping you and the people of Mt. Sterling can help the boys of Shelby in this matter. I remain,

Yours sincerely,

ISAAC ROGERS,

Co. E, 113th. Am. Train,
Camp Shelby, Miss.

—W. S. S.—

MORE EFFICIENCY

Down in the green

A submarine

Lay waiting for the night.

The captain called his gallant crew

And told them that he had in view

A most terrific fight.

"Tis time to show your nerve my

lads;

The chances will be tight."

At night away

To find the prey

They sailed the raging main,

At the stroke of twelve the periscope

Revealed the object of their hope—

Their righteous joy was plain,

They fired their first torpedo,

missed,

Then fired and fired again.

Torpedoes cost,

And when one's lost

It never does come back.

But finally one reached the prey,

Which sank amid a fount of spray;

The crew swam off, a-lack.

It had cost ninety thousand to

Sink that old fishing smack.

Its value was \$12.42—

That one-man fishing smack.

—W. S. S.—

Wanted—To rent an office desk.

Apply at this office (8-12)

GOLD MINING

Just the correct term for present day farming.

The farmer is IT now—provided he farms with our

IMPROVED FARM MACHINERY

Don't grub along with faulty plows, harrows and other tools, while we have a complete line of the most perfect labor-saving FARM MACHINERY on the market.

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Give Courteous Attention When Telephoning

Concentration and courteous attention given to a telephone conversation is a mark of respect that will be appreciated.

Frequent interruptions and requests to repeat mar the pleasure of the talk. Concentrate on what is being said and talk with a smile. Courtesy is like oil to machinery—the lack of it will cause friction and friction in telephone talking is a thing to be avoided.

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Memphis Officer Goes After Vin Hepatica

City Patrolman Siler Says Famous Vin Hepatica Prescription Helped Him Out Considerably

City nightwatchman J. L. Siler, who resides at 381 N. Bellevue Blvd., after a hunt of five years for something to put his liver in right shape, was considerably rundown until E. C. Philpot, of Nashville, told him to go down to Weiss' Pharmacy, Main & Union Sts., and get a bottle of the great Vin Hepatica prescription and take it.

He at once made a dash for this popular drug store, where he found several others buying this wonderful liver, stomach, kidney and bowel remedy, and got his first bottle.

"I had been suffering for five years from an inactive liver, had no appetite, was all rundown," said Officer Siler. "But since taking Vin Hepatica I feel more like doing my work than I have for years. I really enjoy my work now, and I gladly recommend Vin Hepatica to all who need a real tonic."

If you suffer from indigestion, weakness, or any other trouble caused by disordered stomach, liver, kidney, or bowels, or you feel in need of a real good spring tonic, come or send for a bottle at once to W. S. Lloyd, Mt. Sterling, Ky., C. W. Peters, Sharpsburg, Ky.

—W. S. S.—

Most young men are Heroes to some girls, but most of them marry and get over it.

—W. S. S.—

The Advocate for printing.

RINER & LAPSLEY

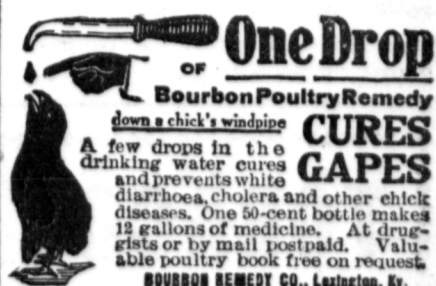
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OUR SENATORIAL NOMINEE

It is currently reported and quite generally accepted that the members of the Democratic State Central and Executive Committees will at their meeting next Thursday, ignore all demands for a primary or convention, or some other method that will give the Democrats of the state an opportunity to indicate their choice and will certify Mr. A. O. Stanley as our nominee, to take the place on the ticket in November made vacant by the untimely death of Senator Ollie M. James.

In doing this, the Committeemen, in our humble judgment, assume a very great responsibility. That Mr. Stanley is a weak man with the people, even his friends will admit. In a state normally democratic by twenty thousand or more, he managed to get a questioned majority of less than five hundred, in his race for Governor. These are important times at Washington. No mistake should knowingly be made. There are many other Democrats in Kentucky, fully as capable as Mr. Stanley and quite as worthy, anyone of whom the Committeemen could nominate and thus eliminate all chances of defeat.

He is especially objectionable to the temperance people. They know Mr. Stanley's record. Such success as he has had in the past has been directly due to the influence of the liquor interests. As a member of Congress, he fought and voted against the Webb-Kenyon bill, which makes the interstate shipment of liquors, from wet to dry territory, illegal and in fact since his entrance into public life, has been the efficient champion of the liquor interests. Personally we have nothing against Mr. Stanley. We differ with him on moral issues, but our sole interest is in democratic success. We want to see our party win and we hope those who have this great responsibility will consider the interests of the party and select some man upon whom all Democrats and thousands of Independents can unite and insure a landslide in November.

It is estimated that there will be approximately twelve hundred persons register in Montgomery county, under the new selective draft law, on Thursday, September 12th., and each of them must within a short time thereafter file his questionnaire with the Local Board, made out in detail. Heretofore such assistance as Registrants needed, was, in the main furnished by the members of the bar, but in view of the large number of new Registrants, it will be impossible for the attorneys to fill out all of them, hence it is highly important that those who can, fill out their own, or at least study it sufficiently to answer all questions promptly and fully.

One tip for the short term senatorship, is Mr. M. M. Logan, Chairman of the State Tax Commission. Doubtless if Mr. Stanley gives the gentleman with the Sampson locks this appointment, it will be as a reward for the assistance he rendered in having enacted our Jesse James tax law.

While the government's request not to use automobiles for pleasure on Sunday was well observed here, this plan works a great hardship on the man who works all week and only uses his automobile on Sunday. A very equitable plan, we think, would be to issue gasoline tickets, just like sugar tickets. If one wants to eat his month's allowance of sugar on the first day, all well and good. Why would not the same thing hold goods as regards gasoline?

Automobiles with the cut out open are the rule, rather than the exception here, where no laws relative to automobiles are enforced. An automobile owner seems to be a privileged character in Mt. Sterling.

If the only objection the Stanley crowd can find to a primary is the expense of it, we feel sure this can be answered by the loyal Democrats in the several counties of the state defraying the expenses. If done other places, we feel sure the primary can be conducted in Montgomery county without a cent of cost to the county or state.

FORREST B. WINS

Forrest B., that game race horse by Mainleaf owned by Mr. J. R. Magowan, won the 2:14 trot at Readville, Mass., Saturday and trotted in 2:10 1/4. Forrest B. is one of the best

trotters gotten by Mainleaf and it is thought he will trot much faster before the season is over.

—W. S. S.—

Best \$5 Raincoats on earth at The Walsh Company.

TOBACCO WILL BE HIGH THIS YEAR

The tobacco market in the South is now on. I have been advised by a friend who is buying in South Carolina that tobacco that sold last year at 22 cents is now selling at 39 cents per pound. This means that we are to receive a big price for Burley this year.

Every farmer should protect his crop against FIRE, LIGHTNING and TORNADO. Don't lose your year's work in a few minutes. You can never tell where lightning will strike. I am prepared to give you this protection in the best companies at cheap rates.

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CONVERSION OF GOVERNMENT BONDS

Our customers will please take notice that the time for conversion of United States bonds of the First and Second Liberty Loans into bonds bearing 4 1/4 per cent. interest will expire on November 9.

Such of these bonds as we are to send off for conversion must be left with us for that purpose by the close of business September 30; we cannot send any for conversion unless the owner makes express request and delivers the bonds to us; this must be done, even though the bond may be on file with us or in the owner's box in our vault.

The Montgomery National Bank,
J. H. Conner, Cashier.

10-4t. —W. S. S.—

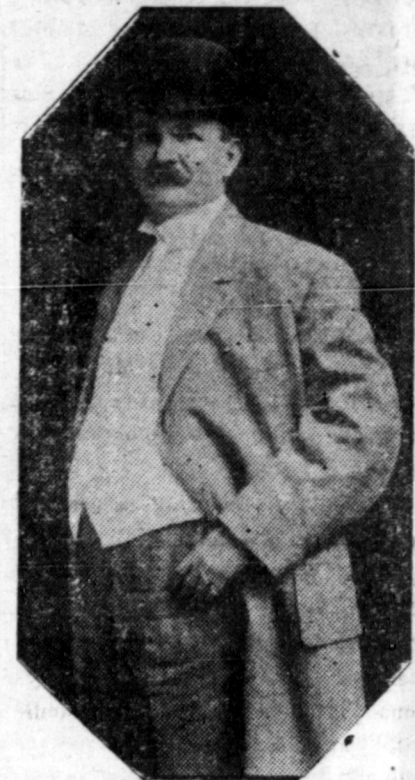
Mrs. K. O. Clarke has received a beautiful line of new pattern hats and invites the ladies to call and see them.

—W. S. S.—

RENOMINATED FOR

POSTMASTER

President Wilson on last Thursday sent to the Senate the names of twenty-eight Kentucky postmasters to be renominated for their positions for another four years. This action is in keeping with the ruling of the department made some time ago to continue in office all officials whose record did not demand that they be removed as the department did not wish to be worried with patronage matters during the war. Our accom-



modating Postmaster Squire Turner was among those recommended for reappointment and this will be pleasing news to the many friends of this affable gentleman, whose record has been complimented several times by department inspectors.

—W. S. S.—

Ready for Business

We have received our new Fall stock and wish to announce to the public that our beautiful line of millinery is now ready for your inspection. Come in any time it suits your convenience as we are glad to see you any time.

10-2t. ROBERTS & MASTIN.

—W. S. S.—

Mrs. K. O. Clarke has received a beautiful line of new pattern hats and invites the ladies to call and see them.

—W. S. S.—

BUYS TWO JACKS

Mr. J. M. Hutsell bought two fine Jacks from Mr. Jesse Turney, of Bourbon county Monday. Both are very fine animals and brought exceedingly fancy prices. Mr. Hutsell is perhaps the owner of more Jacks than any stockbreeder in Montgomery County.

—W. S. S.—

Boys School Suits, at The Walsh Company.

—W. S. S.—

Millinery Is Ready

Our select line of millinery is now ready for the inspection of the public and you are cordially invited to our store. We have as complete a line and as beautiful a line as it has ever been our pleasure to exhibit. You are welcome whenever you come.

10-2t. ROBERTS & MASTIN.

—W. S. S.—

For Rent

Desirable Residences.

10-2t. N. H. TRIMBLE.

Mr. Farmer---TOBACCO

We are prepared to write your insurance as soon as you have your crop in the barn, giving you a liberal amount per acre.

Rates are the same as last year

Hoffman's Insurance Agency

PREWITT REUNION

SPLENDID EVENT

The annual Prewitt reunion was held this year on Thursday August 29, with Mrs. Anna Prewitt Goff and Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Douglass Goff at "Holmbeart," the beautiful Goff homestead in this county. Myriads of asters were used as decorations, and the doors were thrown wide in hospitality.

Mrs. Callie Prewitt Gay was the eldest member of the family present, being in her 86th year. Caswell Prewitt, son of Henry Prewitt, only a few months old, was the youngest.

The menu was served in picnic fashion at the noon hour, and consisted of every available article of dainty and substantial fare. Present were:

Mrs. Anna Prewitt Goff, Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Goff and Master Douglas Goff.

Descendants of James Prewitt and his first wife, Heziah French—James Clinton Prewitt, Misses Henrietta and Eleanor Taylor and Pendleton Taylor.

Descendants of James Prewitt and his second wife, Henrietta Dawson—Mrs. M. S. Browne, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Goff, Miss Anna Chandler Goff, Mr. and Mrs. Henry T. Duncan, and son, John Allen; Mrs. Henrietta Bedford, Mr. John Bedford and son, Marion; Mr. and Mrs. Caswell Bedford, Mr. Levi Goff, Mr. and Mrs. Strauder Goff and Julia and Strauder; Miss Henrietta Goff, Caswell Goff and sons, John, Levi and Thos.; Miss Margaret Goff, Washington, D. C.; Mr. Charles Downing and children, Charles, Margaret, Mary and Patsy Prewitt, of Maysville; Mr. and Mrs. Wilmot Prewitt, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Clay Prewitt and children, Henrietta and Caswell; Miss Anna Caswell Prewitt, Mrs. Allen Prewitt, Sr.; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Reid Prewitt and sons, Thomas, Allen and Reid; Mrs. Mary Prewitt Turley and daughter, Anna Katherine; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jackson and daughter, Elizabeth; Mrs. Allen Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. Charlton Evans, Mrs. Warren Hartsook, Vance Evans, Mr. M. A. Prewitt, Mrs. John L. McCord and children, Ruth and John Lisle; Mr. and Mrs. Tandy Chensault and son Tandy, Jr.; Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Prewitt, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Prewitt and children, Burton and Eveline; Mr. and Mrs. Lois Thompson and children, Carolyn, Evelyn and William; Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Young, Mr. and Mrs. Prewitt Young and Mary Ann Young.

Descendants of Nelson Prewitt and Mary Ann Coleman—Mr. and Mrs. Field VanMeter and children, Ike, Jesse and Pattie Field; Mr. and Mrs. Prewitt VanMeter, Miss Anna Coleman VanMeter; Elizabeth VanMeter; Mrs. William S. Duty and son, William Savage; Mr. and Mrs. Solomon VanMeter, Miss Eveline VanMeter, Robert and Rebecca Vanmeter, Mrs. Callie Prewitt Gay, Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Prewitt Gay and sons, James Dunlap, Tom and Nelson Prewitt, Jr.; Mrs. Henry M. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. David Gay and daughters, Mary Frances and Ruth Coleman; Mr. and Mrs. Will W. Gay, Miss Callie Prewitt Gay, Woodford Gay, Nannie Chensault Gay, Elizabeth Hawes Gay, Mrs. Robert Gay, Mrs. Margaret Prewitt, Miss Emily Prewitt, Mr. Strauder D. Goff, Mr. and Mrs. William Prewitt, of Mt. Sterling; Mr. and Mrs. Edward Prewitt, Edward Prewitt, Elizabeth Prewitt, Ann Prewitt, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Kennedy, Miss Frances Kennedy, Nelson Kennedy, Mr. Harvey Prewitt, Mr. Coleman Reid, Mrs. D. M. Chenault, Mr. and Mrs. George R. Snyder and son, George, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Henry Reid and son, William.

Descendants of Levi Prewitt and Margaret Boyce—Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Prewitt, Miss Elizabeth Prewitt, of Georgetown.

Miss Josephine Chenault represented the branch of John Cavens and Mary Hamblen Prewitt.

Miss Alice Bright, of Demopolis, Ala., represented the branch of Major John Smith and Elizabeth Simpkins Prewitt.

Visitors present were: Mrs. Geo. R. Snyder, of Louisville; Mr. and Mrs. Edward H. Shirley and Miss Elizabeth Shirley, of Nashville, Tenn.; Mrs. John Dunlap Wakefield and daughters, Margaret and Elizabeth, of Louisville; Claude F. Snyder and Mrs. Sarah Dudley, of Lexington; Mrs. T. D. Chenault, Douglas Chenault, of Richmond; Miss Joe Lawson Tarlton, of Lexington; Roy G. Kern Mt. Sterling; Miss Catherine Forman, Lexington; Dr. and Mrs. Benjamin Willis and children, Virginia and Benjamin, of Cincinnati; Mrs. Austin Reeves and children, Emily and Asa Spahr; Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Jeffries, of Mt. Sterling; Mrs. McCurdy, Mr. Alvin Hon, Miss Mattie Clasy, Mrs. Chas. Highland, of Mt. Sterling; Mrs. M. Tracy, Sterling Taylor, Miss Lucy Clay Woodford, of Mt. Sterling; Miss Christine Thomas, of Paris, and Miss Emily McCready.—Winchester Democrat.

—W. S. S.—

MUSIC LOVERS ATTENTION

Monsieur Georges Vigneti, of the Lexington College of Music assisted by Mrs. Henry P. Reid, pianist and Miss Elizabeth Goff Sherley, contralto, of Nashville, Tenn., will give a recital at the Presbyterian Church Friday evening beginning at 8:15. No admission will be charged or collection taken and the music lovers are cordially invited to attend.

We are sure a large crowd will take advantage of this opportunity to hear these talented artists.

The Lexington College of Music Introduces
GEORGES VIGNETI
French-Italian Violinist
in Recital

Emilee Hibler Reid, Accompanist
Friday Evening, September 6th.
8:15 o'clock

At the Presbyterian Church
Mt. Sterling, Ky.

Intermezzo Bizet
Mazurka (Dudziard) Wieniawski
Cavatina Raff
Romanza Andaluza (Spanish Dance) Sarasate
Georges Vigneti

Cradle Song Vannah
By The Water of Minnetonka Lieurance
Elizabeth Goff Sherley

Oriente Cui
Menuet Kuhlau
Aria Lotti
Waltz Weber

Georges Vigneti
Danny Boy Weatherly
Cradle Song Kreisler
Elizabeth Goff Sherley

Menuet Gluck
Waltz Cramer
The Little Shepherd Debussy
Hungarian Poem, No. 6 Hubay
Georges Vigneti

Sows and Pigs for Sale

Two sows with eight pigs each; pigs are Chester Whites about six weeks old and are eating corn.

ASA BEAN.

—W. S. S.—

ELECTION COMMISSIONERS

Mr. R. L. Coleman, who was recently appointed Election Commissioner for Montgomery County, having resigned, because of his frequent absence from the city, on business, the State Election Commission, at its meeting Saturday, designated our good friend Clay G. Fogg, of the Levee, in his stead and named Mr. Luther Bittinger, of Howard's Mill, as Republican Commissioner.

Both are men of splendid character and qualifications and will discharge their duties with general satisfaction.



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PERSONALS

Mr. C. B. Patterson is in Kansas City on business this week.

Mrs. W. P. Apperson visited relatives in Lexington last week.

Mrs. George Moore, of Winchester, visited Mrs. William Kirk, last week.

Mrs. D. C. Powell, of Wuerter Park, Florida, is visiting relatives in this city.

Miss Leota Henderson has returned from a visit to friends in Louisville.

Miss Elizabeth Boyd is visiting Mrs. Sudie H. Stiles at Elizabethtown.

Mrs. Will Perry, of Winchester, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Stephen Pieratt.

Miss Louise Davis, of Louisville, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. Y. Rogers.

Rev. Father E. B. Rohrer, of Mayslick, was a visitor here last week.

Miss Octavio Moses, of Louisville, is the guest of her sister Mrs. S. H. Newmeyer.

Mrs. W. R. McKee and Mrs. Chas. T. Derrickson spent last Monday in Lexington.

Miss Margaret Nesbitt has returned from a visit to relatives at Owingsville.

Mr. John H. Keller was in New York last week buying his fall and winter stock.

Mrs. O. M. Jones has gone to Vaneburg to visit her sister, Mrs. H. B. Paynter.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. McCormick and children, of Lexington, spent Sunday with relatives here.

Mr. G. B. Swango attended the reunion of Morgans' Men at Olympian Springs last week.

Mr. W. C. Jackson and Mr. Oil Snedegar, of Owingsville, were here Monday on business.

Mr. Grant Willoughby and family, of Indianapolis, Ind., are visiting relatives in this county.

Lieutenant Elliott Jones, of Georgia, is visiting his sister, Mrs. Anderson Chenault Bogie.

Misses Lucy B. Darnell and Gene Acheson, of Owingsville visited friends here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hainline and children have returned from a visit to relatives in Louisville.

Mrs. Hampton Montjoy and family, of Dayton, Ohio, have been visiting relatives in this county.

Lieut. C. C. Glisspey, of Camp Shelby, Hattiesburg, Miss., has been visiting Miss Martha Rasure.

Mrs. W. C. Jackson and daughter, Miss Angie Young, of Owingsville, were here Monday shopping.

Prof. and Mrs. R. I. Cord, of Cynthia, spent several days with friends here the past week.

Mrs. A. L. Tipton and Miss Elizabeth Duerson are at home after a short stay at Olympian Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Sanderson and two children have returned from a visit to relatives at Owingsville.

Mr. John J. Walsh and son, John J. Jr., spent several days at Crab Orchard Springs the past week.

Misses Clara and Dessie Stamper have returned from a two weeks' visit to relatives at Hazel Greene.

Miss Mary Bruce Jones, of Tampa, Fla., came this week for a visit with her grandfather J. G. Trimble, Sr.

Miss Margaret Hopper, of Stanford, came Monday for a visit here with Prof. and Mrs. W. O. Hopper.

Messrs. Jack Owings, John Allen Strossman, John Samuels and Lee Conyers were in Owingsville Monday.

Capt. C. H. Petry attend the funeral of his sister, Mrs. William Houston, at Shelbyville, last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hedden and daughter Emily are visiting relatives at Louisville and Shelbyville this week.

Mr. George W. Anderson, Sr., attended the reunion of Morgans' men held at Olympian Springs the past week.

Judge C. C. Turner, of Frankfort, was here the first of last week enroute to the Menifee county oil fields.

Prof. A. W. Fortune of the College of the Bible, Lexington, spent Monday night with Mr. J. T. Coons and family.

Dr. Niles McKee, of Hazard, spent the week end with his family, who are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hedden, Sr.

Miss Elizabeth Goff Shirley, of Nashville, Tenn., is the attractive guest of Mr. and Mrs. George R. Snyder.

Mrs. C. B. Dickinson and Mrs. Harry Shattick, of Mississippi, were guests last week of Mrs. R. L. Vandersell.

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Burbridge went to Louisville last Wednesday where Mrs. Burbridge consulted a specialist.

Mrs. Daisy M. Offutt and daughter, of Georgetown, have returned home after a visit to Mrs. John M. Gatewood.

Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Sanderson and children Charles and Sarah have returned from a weeks' stay at Olympian Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel C. Stoffer and children, of Lexington, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Stoffer of this county.

Mrs. Jack Herriott has returned to her home in Oklahoma City, Okla., after a visit to the family of Dr. J. Keller Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Jones will leave Friday for Pineville, Ky., where Mr. Jones will be superintendent of the public schools.

Mrs. Margaret Guthrie and daughters Elizabeth and Margaret returned from a visit to relatives in Fayette county Friday.

Mr. Chas. A. Lindsay was in Chicago the past week buying goods for A. B. Oldham & Son. He was accompanied by Mrs. Lindsay.

Mr. J. R. Magowan is at Indianapolis, Ind., this week attending the State Fair. He has a number of horses there for the races.

Mrs. Sidney Offutt and daughter Louise, of Georgetown, spent several days the past week with her sister Mrs. John Gatewood on High Street.

Mrs. James Armstrong, of Knoxville, Tenn., came Wednesday night for a visit with her daughters, Mrs. Will Highland and Mrs. Clarence White.

Mrs. Frank Tabb and her daughter Mrs. J. Miller Hoffman, returned Thursday night from Louisville, where they have been shopping for several days.

Homer French, John R. Thomas and Russell French left this morning for Great Lakes Training Camp, after having spent a two weeks' furlough here.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Turner, Jr., of Georgetown, after two weeks at Olympian Springs, came last week for a visit to Mrs. J. O. Greene and Miss Mary E. Turner.

Misses Mary Ruth and Henrietta Coons have returned to their home in Knoxville, Tenn., after a delightful visit to Mrs. Francis Hunt, at her home near Grassy Lick.

Mrs. Lan Corbin and son, David Chenault Corbin, have returned to their home in Indianapolis, Ind., after spending the summer with her mother, Mrs. Emma L. Chenault.

Carroll Chenault, Jr., who has been attending the summer school at Princeton, N. J., has returned for a few weeks' rest before leaving for Danville to attend Center College.

Miss Mary Belle Baird, who has been the attractive guest the past week of her aunt, Miss Bessie Wilson, on North Sycamore Street, has returned to her home in Lexington.

Mr. J. T. Coons and daughters, Emma and Nannie May, Rev. Clyde Darsie and Horace Kingsbury, of Louisville, attended the Bath County Sunday School Convention August 27th.

Mr. Horace Kingsbury, of Louisville, Superintendent of the Kentucky Christian Bible School Association, spent Monday and Tuesday of last week with the family of Mr. J. T. Coons.

County Court Clerk Keller Greene leaves today for Columbia, Mo., to join Mrs. Greene and little son who have been visiting relatives there. They expect to be away about three weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard M. Bean and attractive children were guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Griggs last Friday enroute to their home in Louisville after a motor trip through the Bluegrass.

Postmaster Squire Turner spent Monday in Lexington with his little granddaughter Emily Barnes Turner, who has been confined with typhoid fever but who is rapidly recovering we are glad to announce.

Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Pangburn, Miss Georgia Pangburn, Mrs. Lindsay Douglas and son, Tom and Mrs. J. Courtney Horton motored to Georgetown, Ohio last week to attend the reunion of the Pangburn family.

Mr. N. H. Trimble has returned from a visit to Petoska, Mich. Mrs. Trimble accompanied him and will remain in Michigan several weeks. We are glad to report that Mrs. Trimble's health is showing improvement.

Mrs. Emma Chenault left Friday to spend several weeks with her daughter, Mrs. James Y. Kelly, of Charleston. From there she will return to Indianapolis, Ind., to spend the winter with her daughter, Mrs. Lan Corbin.

—W. S. S.—
For Sale—Two Runabout Ford cars, one Chevrolet touring car, good as new, one 1916 Model Chevrolet touring car.

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FORBES COLT A WINNER

Leonard C., a son of J. Malcolm Forbes, the great stallion owned by Mr. J. R. Magowan of Elmwood Stock Farm, this county, was the winner of a good race at Readville, Mass. on Saturday. The get of this stallion are winning many races this season, which is the source of much gratification to the legion of friends of Mr. Magowan throughout the State.

—W. S. S.—
Lost—Sunday morning on North Sycamore Street; a two dollar bill.

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SOCIAL EVENTS

Mrs. J. Miller Hoffman gave a sewing party Saturday afternoon at her home on Samuels avenue in honor of Miss Martha Simrall, of Louisville.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Hord Tipton delightfully entertained a small party of friends last Thursday evening at their home on Harrison Avenue. The affair was a compliment to Miss Frances Samuels, who will leave this week to begin training as an army nurse.

Mrs. Francis Hunt entertained about eight couples with a watermelon party at her home near Grassy Lick on last Thursday in honor of her house guests, Misses Mary Ruth and Henrietta Coons, of Knoxville, Tenn. The affair was a most delightful one.

Miss Susan Richards entertained on Tuesday afternoon with a rook party in honor of Miss Lucy Maury, of Roanoke, Va. Those present were Misses Margaret Nesbitt, of Mt. Sterling; Grace Crooks, Gladys Young, Elizabeth Brother, Lucille Catlett and Jeanne Brother.

Mrs. S. D. Gay gave a sewing party at her home on Holt avenue Thursday afternoon in honor of Miss Christine Herriott, of Oklahoma City, Okla. Besides the hostess and guest of honor those present were: Mrs. W. Caldwell Clay, Mrs. Riggs Sullivan, Mrs. J. C. Gaitskill, Mrs. Tipton H. Wilson, Mrs. John W. Eastin, Mrs. Jacob Hedden, Mrs. Tom Greene, Mrs. Stewart McCormick, Misses Priscilla Shackelford, Martha Simrall, Emily Robinson.

Miss Elizabeth Brother entertained on Monday afternoon with a rook party in honor of Miss Lucy Maury, of Roanoke, Va., who is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. H. C. Gudgell. The hostess was assisted in entertaining by Miss Lucille Catlett. Those present were Misses Isabel Corbett, of Paducah; Margaret Nesbitt, of Mt. Sterling; Susan Richards, Grace Crooks, Mary Robinson Crooks, Constance Botts and Gladys Young. Catlett and Jeanne Brother.—Owingsville Outlook.

—W. S. S.—
Mrs. K. O. Clarke has received a beautiful line of new pattern hats and invites the ladies to call and see them.

—W. S. S.—
BIRTHS

To the wife of Mr. Clay Pieratt Sunday night—a daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Y. Rogers are receiving congratulations over the arrival of a fine son at their home, Saturday, August 31. He has been named James Yates Rogers, Jr.

—W. S. S.—
For Rent

Two rooms and sleeping porch with bath. Either furnished or unfurnished, for light housekeeping. Miss Bessie Wilson, N. Sycamore St.

WILL GO TO FRANCE

Mrs. Mary Wittenberg will leave next week for a training camp where she will remain for a short time and then be sent to France. Mrs. Wittenberg has joined the Army Corps of Nursing and having been a trained nurse for several years, her training here will be very brief. She is a daughter of Mrs. Patsy McNamara. We are glad to add her name to the list of gallant Mt. Sterling women who have volunteered to do their bit in this great war for humanity. The prayers and good wishes of all our people go with her.

—W. S. S.—

THE SICK

Mr. Tinsley Barnard is improving from a severe attack of stomach trouble.

Mr. Oscar Thacker has been suffering from an infection of his hand caused by a pin scratch.

Mr. Buford Wyatt who was operated on at Lexington last week will be able to return home this week.

Rev. M. V. P. Yeaman who was recently operated on at Mayo Brothers' Hospital at Rochester Minn., has sufficiently recovered to be able to start home today. The many friends of this popular minister will be pleased to learn of his recovery.

—W. S. S.—

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RELIGIOUS

Rev. J. S. Wilson will occupy his pulpit at the Baptist Church Sunday morning and evening.

Prof. A. W. Fortune, of the College of the Bible, of Lexington and minister of the Maxwell Street Christian Church, has just closed a very successful meeting with Mr. K. B. Bowen at Sharpsburg. There were twenty-seven additions. The church unanimously called him to hold a meeting for them next year.

Several from here attended the meeting.

—W. S. S.—

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We have received our new Fall stock and wish to announce to the public that our beautiful line of millinery is now ready for your inspection. Come in any time it suits your convenience as we are glad to see you any time.

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—W. S. S.—

LIMIT CLUB

Since our last issue Mr. M. K. Tapp, of the Howard's Mill neighborhood, has joined our War Savings Stamps Limit Club, making 141 members to date. Who will be next? Don't stand back, but come forward and do your duty. Help our brave boys in France to keep the Hun on the run.

INDIVIDUAL INSTRUCTION RECEIVED BY STUDENTS OF FUGAZZI SCHOOL INSURES THEIR SUCCESS

So says Miss Ada Banahan in a letter to Miss Fugazzi, which we are publishing in full below, as it is typical of the letters we are receiving all the time from our former students.

June 25, 1917.

Miss Irene Fugazzi,
Fugazzi School of Business,
Lexington, Ky.

Dear Miss Fugazzi:

Just a few lines to express to you my appreciation of what you and your excellent school have done for me.

I am holding a fine position which you helped me to secure and feel that it was your thorough, conscientious training that made me capable of holding it. The individual instruction and personal attention which you give your students insure their success. I shall always be glad to recommend your school to anyone who desires to become really efficient.

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Smutts and some other diseases of seed wheat can be prevented entirely by proper treatment. These treatments have been published widely and are available to all. The Department of Agricultural and State authorities are spending large sums of money in helping to eradicate smut. This preventable disease should not be permitted to take part of the wheat needed by ourselves and others. The treatments are simple and cheap. Treat for smut and sow clean seed.

"BIG OLLIE" CROSSES DARK RIVER OF DEATH

Kentucky's Beloved Statesman, Eloquent Orator and Strong Supporter of President Passes Away Early Wednesday Morning

Senator Ollie M. James, of Kentucky, died at the Johns Hopkins Hospital, Baltimore, last Wednesday of acute affection of the kidneys.

Mrs. James and the Senator's brother, U. S. Marshal E. H. James, were with him when the end came at 6:45 o'clock.

Senator James had been a patient at the hospital for three months. His physicians first believed he had a good chance and an operation was performed. Later his condition became more serious and transfusion of blood was made on several occasions.

Senator James rallied recently when informed of his renomination and for a time held his own but later his condition again became grave and he steadily grew weaker.

Sketch of His Remarkable Career

Ollie M. James, one of the leaders of the Democratic party and long a dominant figure in Kentucky politics, served five consecutive terms as a member of Congress from the First Kentucky district, was elected United States Senator by the General Assembly in 1912, and was re-nominated for that office by a large vote at the statewide primary on August 3rd. last.

Senator James was born in Crittenden county, Kentucky, July 27, 1871, and was educated in the public and academic schools of his section of the state.

"Big Ollie" as he was familiarly known to thousands, was long one of the dominant personalities in Kentucky politics and at his death was numbered among the foremost of the leaders of the Democratic party in the nation.

His interest in politics dated from his boyhood when at the age of sixteen years he served as page in the General Assembly of Kentucky. Here he attracted attention because of the rapidity with which he absorbed parliamentary law and it was told of him that before the legislative session was over he knew more of the rules of procedure than did many of the legislators themselves.

At the close of the legislative session young James returned to his home and took up the study of law in the office of his father, Judge L. H. James, and was admitted to the bar a full year before he had reached his majority.

He leaped into political prominence in the western section of the state almost as soon as he became of age and it was not long until his influence began to be felt. He was not yet 25 years old when he was elected as a delegate to the Democratic National Convention in Chicago in 1896 which nominated William Jennings Bryan for the presidency. His speeches in defense of the Chicago platform attracted nationwide attention to him, and made him one of the most prominent figures in the councils of the Democratic party in Kentucky.

During the memorable campaign which followed the Chicago convention, began the friendship between Mr. Bryan and James which was never extinguished. It was not always the case that they were in agreement but their attachment for each other never faltered.

Mr. James was present as a delegate from Kentucky at five Democratic national conventions subsequent to the Chicago convention, and

served as permanent chairman of two of them, those of 1912 and 1916 at which President Wilson was nominated.

We went to the Baltimore convention as an ardent supporter of Champ Clark, and largely had been instrumental in having the delegation from Kentucky instructed to vote for the Missourian. Following the nomination of Woodrow Wilson he was one of the most active supporters during the campaign and as a member of the Senate was one of the most ardent advocates of the President's policies, and frequently served as his spokesman in the legislative chamber.

Mr. James from his boyhood had held the ambition to serve as a member of Congress and in 1902 when he was 31 years of age this ambition was realized. He served five consecutive terms as a member of Congress from the First Kentucky district, and in 1912 was selected by the General Assembly of Kentucky as United States Senator. He was the last man to be elected to the Senate from Kentucky in that manner for shortly thereafter the constitutional amendment providing for election of Senators by popular vote, a measure James had done much to get through Congress, became the law.

Senator James was renominated at a state-wide primary held August 3, last, and received a surprisingly large vote in view of the fact that his opponent had practically eliminated himself by urging his friends to renominate James.

At the time the primary election was held Senator James was ill at Johns Hopkins Hospital at Baltimore, where he had been for several months.

His illness dated from February 1, last following his return from Paterson, New Jersey, where he had gone to attend the funeral of his friend Senator William Hughes. He was suffering from an attack of tonsillitis before he started on the trip and it had been made against the urgent advice of his physician.

He was bedridden for two weeks following his return from Paterson, but spent his time preparing an address upholding the administration's

conduct of the war. This address was delivered February 14th. and this, too, was against the advice of friends and physician. He insisted on going ahead, however, because he had announced he would speak at this time.

Three days later he was again forced to take to his bed and it was then found that he was suffering from an acute inflammation of the kidneys. Although urged to take a vacation he was up and attempting to attend to his business three weeks later.

He was still suffering great pain, however, and finally went to the Johns Hopkins hospital at Baltimore at the urgent solicitation of friends. He never left the hospital but once and then only for an automobile ride through Baltimore parks.

At the hospital he submitted to two dental operations, an operation for the removal of his tonsils and adenoids, being performed later to get rid of foci of infection which was thought might be causing his trouble.

This series of operations on Senator James destroyed for a time his senses of smell and taste, and was found a difficult matter to persuade him to take enough nourishment. His condition soon became such that heroic measures were necessary and the physicians resorted to blood transfusion, more than a quart of blood being transferred from the veins of a friend to his own.

His appetite returned but when solid food was given him he found that he could not retain it. Although an X-ray examination disclosed nothing wrong, milk proved the only food he could retain and this was his diet up until the time of his death.

Aside from his service in the House of Representatives Senator James' chief claim to fame in his own state was because of the part he played in the events preceding and following the assassination of Governor Wm. Goebel.

He played a conspicuous part in the convention which nominated Goebel as a leader of the forces of W. J. Stone, who with Gen. P. Watt Hardin, contested the election of Goebel. The convention was deadlocked for more than a week before Goebel's supporters found it possible to master a majority. James supported Goebel in the campaign that followed, and when Goebel decided to institute a contest after a certificate of election had been given to W. S. Taylor, he called upon James to serve as attorney before the General Assembly.

The contest was decided in Goebel's favor and then he was killed, and during all the stormy period which followed James occupied a conspicuous place.

Since that time Mr. James had been away from the state most of the time but returned frequently to "meet the boys," as he put it, and always kept in very close touch with all the political currents of the state's politics.

Senator James was married December 2, 1903, to Miss Ruth Thomas, daughter of R. Y. Thomas, of Marion, Kentucky, who survives him. They had no children.

He was buried at Marion, Ky., his old home.

—W. S. S.— CHICKEN THIEVES

Thieves entered the premises of Mrs. Edna McDonald, on North Sycamore street at an early hour Wednesday morning and carried off about two dozen large frying size chickens from the coop.

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—W. S. S.— ACCEPTS POSITION

Miss May Stout has accepted a position with the Island Creek Department Store at Holden, W. Va., and has assumed her duties. Miss Stout will have charge of the millinery and suit department.

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Major Jules Bellot, of the French Army, was in our city last Friday and addressed the War Conference. Major Bellot was severely injured in action and was detailed to this country as an instructor. He has been decorated several times for bravery shown under fire.

—W. S. S.—
It must be pleasing for the frugal German mind to have the gas intended for the allies come back to them.

—W. S. S.—
When we meet Happiness on the highway the great mistake we make is failing to ask him to go home with us and spend the rest of his life.

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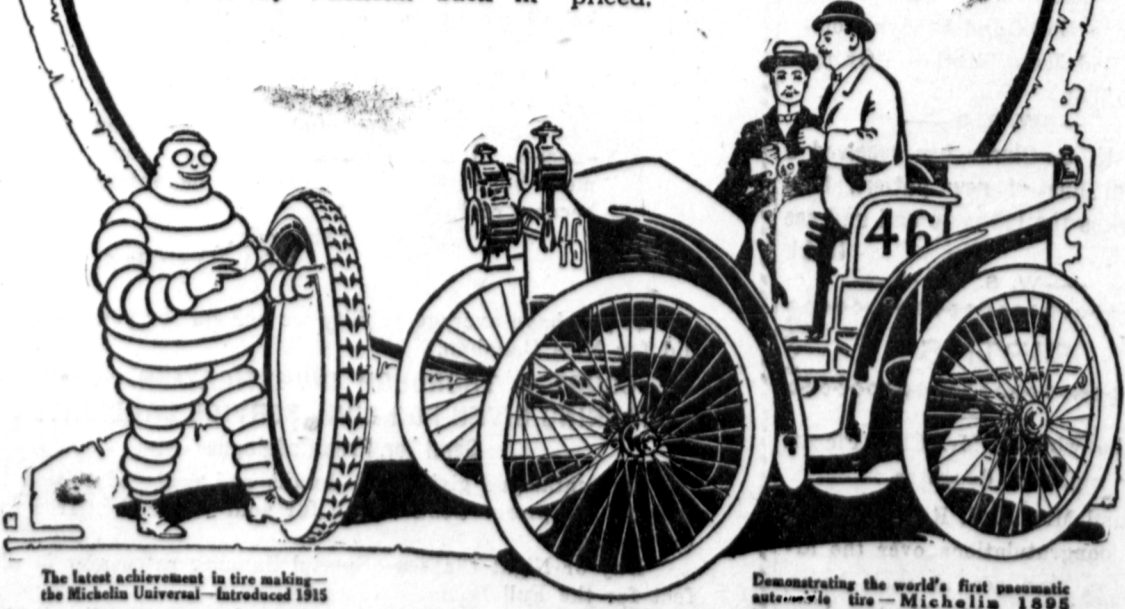
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Formerly classed as a luxury, sugar is now a war time essential. The fair and just division of this essential is in the hands of the various Allied food controllers.

The United States Food Administration has asked this nation to observe a voluntary sugar ration of two pounds per person a month.

In the other countries at war with Germany sugar is one of the scarce articles on every menu—whether in the households of both rich and poor, or in the hotels.

England today has a sugar ration of two pounds per month per person. In France the ration is a pound and a half and in Italy it is one pound a month. And the prices in allied countries are from two to three times as high as in America.

If you go to a hotel in England or France these days and order tea or coffee they serve absolutely no sugar with it. If you want sugar you must bring it with you.

In England it is allowable to use one-seventh of an ounce of sugar in the preparation of each luncheon. In France many persons carry little saccharine tablets about with them for use in hotels and in England rich and poor must take their sugar with them if they wish to have sweetened tea while visiting friends.

Before the war started France had 625,000 acres devoted to sugar production. By 1917 the French sugar acreage had decreased to 180,000 acres. Today the French man or woman with a sugar card has no assurance whatever that he or she will be able to actually buy sugar. To buy it, one must first find it.

Italy Has "State Sugar."
Especially drastic regulations govern the use of sugar in Italy. Its manufacture, distribution and sale are closely controlled, and in part actually taken over by the state.

Saccharine is permitted to be sold and used as a substitute for sugar and the government manufactures a mixture of saccharine and sugar called "State Sugar," which is largely used.

German Sugar Ration Adequate.
Germany, before the war, produced a great surplus of sugar and exported large quantities. Today the Germans have virtually gone out of the export business, but have plenty of cheap sugar for home use.

Wholesale prices prevalent in the Allied nations, according to information received by the United States Food Administration are as follows: England, 10 cents a pound; France, 12 cents; Italy, 26 cents.

While these high prices are being paid abroad the American wholesale price is being held at 7½ cents.

—W. S. S.—

A bright sunny face makes fine weather in the world any day in the week.

—W. S. S.—

The Advocate for printing.

SMALL FIRE AT THEATER

Quite a bit of excitement prevailed at the Liberty Theater Tuesday night when during the first performance a film caught fire in the operating booth. While trying to extinguish the blaze one of the operators accidentally kicked the burning film through the door of the steel booth and it dropped near the main entrance setting fire to the curtains and fixtures in the front of the theater. Manager Miller promptly quieted the audience and they filed out the front and rear exits. An alarm was turned in but before the fire department arrived Mr. William Daniel appeared with a fire extinguisher from the Baumont Hotel and the blaze was soon under control. The only one injured with the exception of the two operators who were slightly burned about the hands, was Miss Ruth Barnes, who was seated near where the blazing film fell and who suffered slight burns and bruises of her arm and shoulder. Mr. Miller's loss is covered by insurance with the exception of two reels of film which were destroyed.

—W. S. S.— ACCEPTS POSITION

Miss Mary Crail, daughter of Mrs. Margaret Crail, has accepted a position at the Montgomery National Bank to succeed Mr. Jesse R. Hainline, who resigned to enter college.

—W. S. S.—

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STATUS OF NEWSPAPERS

(Editorial Birmingham, Ala. Ledger)
So important does the Government regard the newspapers of the country as factors in winning the war that they have been put in the essential class and priority given to the delivery of the materials needed in newspaper publication. The Government realizes that it cannot dispense with the millions of newspapers going into the homes of the nation every day bearing to them the facts which acquaint them with the stress of the nation and pleas that arouse their patriotism to meet the situation and provide the means with which to whip the Hun and save the country and themselves.

The free space given by the newspapers to patriotic causes runs into millions of dollars daily. It would strain the Government itself to pay the bill. It would break any government on earth to attempt the equivalent of this free newspaper advertising in circulars, posters, billboards and other mediums of publicity. None of these mediums have the intimate place in the family which the newspaper possesses. None meets as many eyes, ears, minds and hearts at the same time. This is why newspapers are in the essential class.

But being in the essential class has not helped the newspaper meet the constantly growing cost of publication and circulation. Every item entering into the getting out of a newspaper has soared in price. Papers can save themselves only by charging higher advertising rates and higher subscription rates. The public, which has seen the prices of everything else raised is, in a measure, prepared for the advance in the newspaper schedule, but probably is not fully aware of just how hard the publishers of newspapers have been hit.

For instance, The Ledger has

paid out for white paper during the first six months of this year just twice as much as it did during the last six months in 1916 prior to our entrance into the war. On June 25, the Federal Trade Commission allowed the paper manufacturers to advance the paper \$22 per ton, effective April 1. Not only this, but June 25, the new freight rates went into effect and it cost The Ledger just that much more to get this paper, which is a very heavy freight, delivered in Birmingham. On top of all this comes the Federal Trade Commission and, although an increase in the price of paper has just been granted, has accorded the paper makers another hearing in which they will ask for a further advance on account of the increases allowed by the commission to paper mill labor, increases in cost of assembling raw materials and other increased costs incident to the raise in freight rates.

But the chapter does not end here. On July 1 the government increased postage rates on newspapers 25 per cent. In six months there will be another 25 per cent increase, and so on for every six months until there is a total increase in postage rates of 125 per cent. The enormous increase in newspaper publication reflects Government activity and is incident to the war in winning which the newspapers are taking such a prominent part. The priorities granted by the Government in the assemblage of materials for newspaper publication is official recognition of the newspapers as a war winning asset.

The Government realizes that the newspapers must continue as a necessary item of the war schedule, and in order that the supply of paper be not exhausted has issued orders restricting the amount of space to be devoted to reading matter and taken other steps to curtail any waste of paper.

Advertising rates and circulating rates must advance and will be advanced by those newspapers which survive the increased cost of paper, ink, metal, labor, type, acids, everything that enters into newspaper publication. The newspapers do not expect to fully realize on the increased cost of publication, but they

Notice to Taxpayers

I am very anxious to make a good assessment of Montgomery County property. To take a list of property, it requires a good deal of time. I must have my work done by November 1, so if the taxpayers wait until the last few days it will be impossible for us to wait on them.

I am sending out notices to appear certain days, but I am sorry to say that a great many people disregard them and do not come.

The law makes it the duty of the property owner to call at the office and be assessed, which is a good law in many respects.

Do not wait to be notified, but come to the office with a list of your property as soon as you can possibly do so, and if you should receive a notice through the mail come on the day mentioned.

I will be leaving in a few days but am leaving a competent assistant in the office, and if the property owners wish to assist in my absence I insist that they come to the office promptly, and if they have to wait, just be patient and give in their list before leaving. Help me make a good assessment.

H. F. HOWELL
Tax Commissioner.

—W. S. S.—

Harry Reis, who has been employed by the C. & O. R. R. as draughtsman, with headquarters at Richmond, Va., for several months, has enlisted in the Navy, and has been ordered by the Government to go to Hoboken, N. J., for a six month's training in steam engineering. Mr. Reis is a son of Mrs. E. T. Reis, of this city, and for the past year has been attending the University of Kentucky at Lexington. Mr. Reis is a splendid student, very efficient and especially gifted in the line of work to which he has been assigned. His many friends are much pleased to hear of his assignment to such work in Uncle Sam's service.

—W. S. S.—

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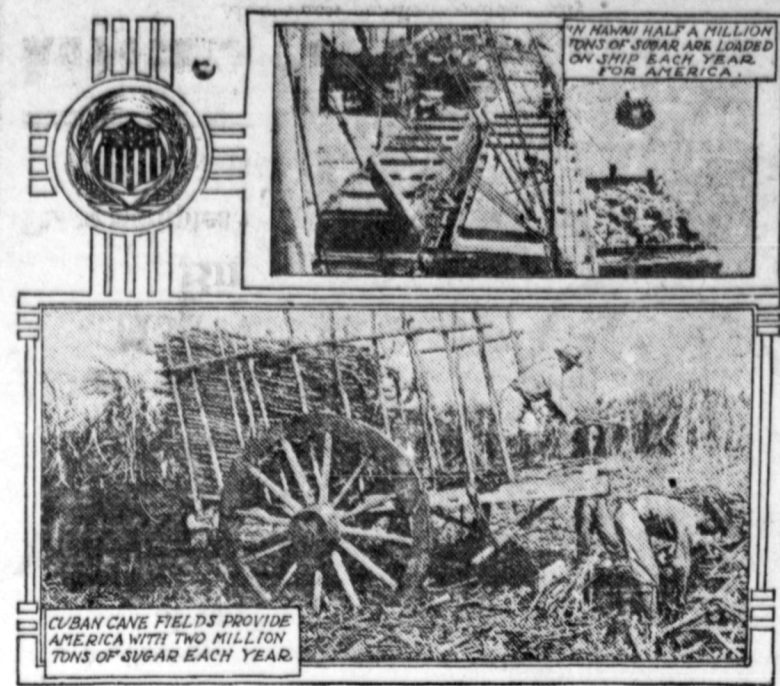
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Ships & Sugar



OVER 75 per cent. of the sugar used in the United States is delivered by ships. There is produced about 800,000 tons of beet sugar and 250,000 tons of cane sugar in Louisiana. The total consumption of the United States is about 4,500,000 tons of raw sugar, which makes about 4,250,000 tons of refined sugar.

If our coasts were blockaded as Germany's now are, we would have available for the use of the people of the United States only one pound of sugar for every four we use. Under such circumstances there is no doubt that the American people would get along on this limited supply without complaint.

The United States Food Administration is asking every American household to use not more than two pounds of sugar per person each month for domestic use. Reducing our sugar consumption here means that we will be able to help supply the needs of France, England and Italy. Sugar conservation on the American table also means conservation of ships.

The Army and Navy have sent out an "S. O. S." call for ships. "Save Our Ships to Transport Troops and Munitions to France, in order that we may keep the fighting front where it now is and not allow it to extend to our own homes," is the message.

There is ample sugar in the world for all requirements—in fact, there is a large surplus, but on account of the ship shortage it is not available for use in this country.

Java, which produces 15 per cent. of the world's cane crop, is too far removed. It requires 150 to 160 days for a ship to go to Java and return.

DEATH OF MR. PARRISH

Mr. Henry C. Parrish, a well known and highly respected citizen of this city, died suddenly, August 25th, after an illness of only a few hours. The funeral was held at the home of Mr. W. H. Wilson on Queen Street Wednesday morning and the remains were laid to rest in Maplewood Cemetery. Deceased is survived by two sisters, Mrs. Sarah T. Jeffries, of Los Angeles, and Mrs. Bettie Shouse, of this county and one brother, Richard H. Parrish, of Lockhart, Texas. Mr. Parrish was born and spent practically all of his life in this county and was a prominent member of the Masonic Lodge, well liked and popular with a large circle of friends who were shocked to learn of his sudden death.

—W. S. S.—
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10-21. ROBERTS & MASTIN.

FRANCE AND BELGIUM GET AMERICAN SUGAR

Ninety-five per cent. of all refined sugar sent from the United States to the Allied nations went to France and Belgium during the first five months of this year.

France got 72 per cent., or nearly 83,000,000 pounds, and Belgium received nearly 11,000,000 pounds, or 23 per cent.

In each country this sugar was doled out by a strict rationing organization. The entire amount to the Allies in these five months—23,791 tons, almost half of which was shipped in May—is only about one-half of 1 per cent. of our total annual consumption.

—W. S. S.—
Lexington, October 1, The Kentucky Futurity, \$14,000. (adv)

IN THE BREEZY WEST.

Westerner—Where I come from everything is on a large scale. Do you know what we'd use those subways of yours for?

Easterner—No, what?

Westerner—Speakin' tubes.

FUTURE RISING.

"From what they say, Germany is something like my batch of bread."

"How is that?"

"In a ferment over the 'east.'"

FISH ABLE TO REMEMBER

Abundant Proof That Members of the Finny Tribe Have the Power of Memory.

Even the fishes of the sea have pictures on memory's wall. Experiments have been made with several fishes as to their faculties for remembering, but the most striking results have been obtained with the gray perch, which live chiefly on a small silver-hued sardine. Some of these were taken and colored red and were then put into the tank where the perch was, with several silver-colored sardines. Of course, the normal sardines were at once seized and eaten, but it was not until hungry that the perch made a tentative meal of one of the red-colored victims.

On recognizing the sardine flavor, however, he promptly demolished the remainder, says an exchange. Later the perch devoured the sardines irrespective of color, thus showing not only traces of a memory, but also the power to differentiate color.

Subsequently sardines colored red and blue were placed in the tank, together with the silver ones. The same scene was repeated, the blue sardines not being attacked until the others were eaten and hunger compelled investigation of the newcomers. After this introduction the perch ate the sardines of all three types without any difficulty.

Some spines of the sea nettle were then fastened to the blue sardines. These were at once avoided by the perch, who promptly got out of the way of the newcomers. This showed traces of memory, as the results of contact with the sea nettle were shown and recognized.

NEW ART IN PORTRAITURE

Doretype, Recently Introduced, Is in Many Respects the Best Yet Devised.

A new style of portrait photograph, the Doretype, has recently been introduced as a means of providing a form of portrait photograph of rich distinctive appearance, yet capable of being produced at a comparatively low cost. The Doretype is a warm-toned, thin, positive image on glass and receives its brilliancy from the material which is used as a backing. It lends itself to almost any treatment. It may be backed with light-tinted papers, or various shades of fine silk or satin, but the most satisfactory method is to coat the back of the transparency with a fine gold bronze.

With edges simply bound or the picture in a frame, most of the attractiveness of the Doretype is lost. The aim of the promoters has evidently been to originate something which in its way can be prized by the possessor just as the daguerreotype miniatures were prized in their day.—New York Times.

THE MONEYED CLASS.

"This writer gives some good advice to farmers."

"About crops?"

"Certainly not. Farmers are supposed to know how to raise crops. He advises them in regard to making investments in gilt-edged securities."

HE WANTED PEACE.

My brother was out at Camp Funston, Kan., and having gotten lost in a negro camp and trying to find his way back was called by the negro who was on guard duty, "Who goes dar?" "Lieutenant Johnston," was the reply. "Step forward and be reconciled."—Chicago Tribune.

RUDIMENTARY EDUCATION.

"The trouble with the Prussians is their school system."

"How would you revise it?"

"I'd give the kaiser and his six sons some old-fashioned copybooks and make them put in all their time writing 'Honesty is the best policy.'"

THAT PROVED IT.

Patience—I'll bet that fellow in khaki is a good soldier.

Patrice—Why?

"He's got a quick eye."

"How do you know?"

"Cause he winked at me."

FORETHOUGHT.

"What on earth is that queer lot of junk Jones has in the corner of his cellar?"

"Sh! That's a ton of camouflaged coal."

INTELLECT WILL NOT SUFFICE

Writer Asserts That National Success Must Have Foundation Firmly Imbedded in the Spirit.

A magazine writer bases national success upon intellectual leadership. But the intellect is no more to be trusted than the tricks of a card. The intellectuals are always tumbling into a ditch on Sunday or any other day. Justice, temperance, purity, honesty are not thought out. If there was nothing to direct them but the so-called mind they would lose their identity. There is a time in the psychological process where the intellect must turn to the heart for guidance. If it doesn't, discord, disaster and doom are sure to follow in its train. When you see some pompous person occupying the cold and icy summits of thought and attempting to declare the truth from them—look out, he is in for a fall. It is impossible for the truth to come from anywhere except from the spirit. All judges, governors, professors, preachers, politicians, teachers, newspapers should recognize that fact, and because they don't is why the old world is heeling about in the most disorderly way, not knowing where it is going next or how it will fare when it gets there.—Ohio State Journal.

WAR CONFERENCE HELD HERE LAST FRIDAY

The Montgomery County War Conference was held at the Court House in this city last Friday. Much interest was manifested both in the afternoon and night sessions by those in attendance. Among those who addressed the sessions on subjects pertinent to the war were Hon. Stanley Reed, prominent lawyer and speaker, of Maysville, who is giving his time to the government for this work; Dr. Fred Mutchler of the Kentucky Experiment Station made an address dealing with the importance of agriculture and scientific crop culture as a direct aid to a military and economic victory and urged the farmers of Montgomery county to raise more wheat. Mrs. Cora Wilson Stewart, of the Kentucky Illiteracy Commission was also on the program and urged the establishment of more Moonlight Schools that all of our boys may be able to read and write when inducted into the army. Last but not least on the program was the address of Major Jules Bellot, of the French Army, who expressed the gratitude of the French people for the powerful aid rendered by America in France's hour of need.

—W. S. S.—
Mrs. K. O. Clarke has received a beautiful line of new pattern hats and invites the ladies to call and see them. 10-21.

SUGAR EXPORTS SMALL TO NEUTRAL NATIONS

Only 797 tons of refined sugar were shipped from America to neutral nations during the first five months of this year. This amounted to only 3.2 per cent. of the total exports to all countries. Mexico received more than half the amount we exported to neutrals.

★ SAVE SUGAR. ★
★ Sugar means Ships— ★
★ Ships mean Soldiers— ★
★ Soldiers mean Victory. ★

—W. S. S.—
Boys Sweaters at The Walsh Company.

FORCE OF HABIT.

De Quiz—I wonder why that man walking ahead of us continues to look down at the pavement as he mopes along?

De Whiz—Don't you know him? That's Highup, the professional aeronaut.

—W. S. S.—
Holeproof Hose at The Walsh Company.

HEARD AT THE GROCER'S.

"Half of those eggs you sold me were bad, and you said you'd make 'em good."

"Did you bring the bad ones in, madam?"

"Why, no."

"Well, do you expect me to give them absent treatment?"

—W. S. S.—
Boys Fall Caps at The Walsh Company.

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DEATH OF GEO. W. HAMILTON

Mr. Geo. H. Hamilton died at his home No. 26 Mitchell Ave., Wednesday August 28th, at 4 o'clock p. m., of Bright's Disease.

The funeral was held at his late residence Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock, services being conducted by Rev. E. L. Southgate of the Methodist church, with burial in Maplewood cemetery under the auspices of Watson Lodge No. 32, I. O. O. F., of which he had been a member for thirty years.

Mr. Hamilton was born in Cincinnati, Ohio, and was the son of Alexander and Bell Hamilton and was about 64 years of age. He had made his home in this city for the past thirty years.

He was a brickmason by trade and was a hard working man. About seven years ago he suffered a nervous break down and from that time his health had been gradually failing. He had been a member of the Methodist Church for a long time and was a good christian gentleman and was liked by all who knew him and numbered his friends by his acquaintances.

Mr. Hamilton was married twice, his first wife was Miss Mary Hawkins who died about thirty years ago. He had one daughter by this marriage, Miss Annabell Hamilton.

His last wife was Miss Laura Jones, of this city. By this marriage he had one daughter, Margaret, who died when two years old. Mr. Hamilton is survived by his wife and one brother James A. Hamilton, of Chicago, Illinois.

People from a distance that attended the funeral were Mrs. Frank Jones, of Covington, Ky.; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Owens and Mr. and Mrs. James Jordan, of Winchester, Ky.; Miss Hattie Owens, Winchester, Ky.; Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Todd, of Clark County, Ky.

SURPRISE BIRTHDAY PARTY

Mr. John H. Mason was given a surprise party at the home of his son Mr. Will Mason, on West Main Street last evening. The occasion was the anniversary of his 75th birthday. Mr. Mason is well and active and still takes quite an interest in public affairs. Mr. Mason is the founder of and was the first owner of this paper which was started more than twenty-seven years ago, however, after a few years he sold his interest and up until a short time ago when he retired was engaged in farming.

Besides Mr. and Mrs. Mason the following children and grandchildren were present: Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Howell and son David and daughter Allie Frances, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Coppage and daughter Margaret; Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Ramsey, Miss Margaret Ramsey, Morris Ramsey; Mr. and Mrs. Will Ramsey and son Jack; Mr. and Mrs. James Greene, all of this city, and Mrs. C. D. Powell, of Winter Park, Florida.

The host of friends of this genial gentleman wish him many more such happy birthdays.

WINS PIG CONTEST

Reese Little won the pig contest in Fayette county Saturday from twenty contestants. The boy entered a pig in the breeders class and won a prize of \$20, and he also entered a pig in the contest for the best pig in the entire show which he also won, the prize being a trip to the Kentucky State Fair. Maggie Little, a sister won third prize in the same contest. The Little family formerly lived in this county and have many friends here who will be interested in this announcement.

—W. S. S.—
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